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Subject Re: Portland Harbor fate & transport modeling meeting  
followup

Hi Eric, Kristine, and Earl,

Attached are NOAA comments for the calibration phase of the QEAFATE model.

I'm also including my comments on the HST model in the same document, although some of them may have already been addressed as part of the recalibration.

Thanks and feel free to contact me if anything needs clarification. I'm in until noon on Tuesday, and then reachable by cell phone at (b) (6)

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Blischke.Eric@epamail.epa.gov wrote:

> Please get me any follow-up comments/questions. Copy Kristine Koch and  
> Earl Hayter. I have comments from Earl and Kristine already and will be  
> pulling something together to send to the LWG. Basically, we will be  
> giving them the go ahead to move forward with the QEAFATE F&T model but  
> provide a list of things we want them to do/consider in moving forward.  
> I would like to get something out by the end of tomorrow.

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> Regarding the HST model, at this point I think they will be providing us  
> with a revised model that incorporates the comments that came out of the  
> September meeting. This will be provided to us along with the QEAFATE  
> F&T model. I am not 100% sure but I believe this will be provided as a  
> package in the draft FS rather than as a stand alone report. However, I  
> am assuming they will be checking in with us further regarding the  
> calibration of the QEAFATE model.

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> Get me your comments and let me know if you have any questions.

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> Thanks, Eric

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> Hi Eric  
> Great to meet you last week. I've got a few follow-up  
> comments/recommendations/questions for the modelers as they go into the  
> calibration phase of the fate & transport model. Should I send those to  
> you or to Earl?  
> Also, someone on the phone during that meeting (I believe it was Kirk)  
> said that they'd completed the recalibration of the hydro/sed transport  
> component of the model according to Earl's comments. Are we expecting to  
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> see results from that? I'm not sure if they were going to give a written  
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> report of how those changes affected the model, or just show us some  
> graphs of the recalibrated output, but if possible, I'd like to take a  
> look at what they've done. I had a few comments that they may or may not  
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> have addressed in this last round of revisions.  
> Thanks  
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